



THEATRE ROYAL, Mrs SIDDONS'S NINTH NIGHT.

On MONDAY next, June 7, will be performed, the Tragedy of
JANE SHORE.
Lord Hallings, Mr CAUTHERLEY;
Duke of Gloucester, Mr Wilmot-Well; Belmont, Mr Halling;
Sir Richard Ratcliffe, Mr Davis; Catesby, Mr J. Blund;
Sirward, Mr Bland, junior;
And Dumont, Mr WOODS.
Alicia, Mrs JACKSON;
And Jane Shore, Mrs SIDDONS.

To which will be added, a Farce called,
LOVE A-LA-MODE.

* The Curtain will rise precisely at Half past Six.

Favoured with the generous recommendations, and high encomiums of the Nobility and Gentry, that fine display of Human Nature,
THE AMAZING LITTLE WOMAN, from
Major in Monmouthshire, now in the 26th year of her age, and not Eighteen Pounds Weight, still engages the attention of the Public. She is daily honoured with the inspection of persons of high rank and great abilities—who, charmed at the sight of so extraordinary a curiosity, behold her with a pleasure which words seem wanting to express. She continues to be seen, immediately within the head of Forrester's Wynd, first door on the right hand, from eleven in the morning till eight at night.

JURIDICAL SOCIETY.

THE First Meeting of the Society for the Summer Session is to be held, in the usual Class-room of the College, upon Monday next, the 7th current, at eight o'clock in the evening.

MUSICAL INSTRUMENTS.

JUST arrived at N. STEWART'S Music-shop, Parliament-Square.
A large assortment of PIANOFORTES, of the new construction, and by the best makers in London; being the greatest and finest variety ever exhibited in Scotland.

Where may be also had, PIANOFORTE GUITARS, of the latest improvements—Several new Rondos for the Pianoforte or Harpsichord, and every thing else in the musical branch.

N. B. Instruments of all kinds carefully repaired in the neatest manner, and tuned.

JEWELLERY AND HARDWARE GOODS.

LERCHEN AND STEWART

MOST respectfully inform the Public. That they have just got to hand a complete and elegant assortment of Jewellery, Hardware, Japanese, and Plated Goods, Silver Plate, &c. which they sell wholesale and retail, at their shop, first above the Old Bank Close, Lawn market, Edinburgh.

Mourning rings, all kinds of silver plate, jewellery work, &c. made on the shortest notice, and the full value given in exchange for old gold and silver, lace, &c.

LERCHEN and STEWART return their most grateful acknowledgments to their friends and the Public in general, both in town and country, and humbly solicit a continuance of their past favours, being resolved to do all in their power to merit their patronage.

TO be SOLD, at and below prime cost, at the shop of the deceased **Douglas Mathieson,** on the shore of Leith, to commence on Tuesday the 8th current, at eleven o'clock forenoon, and continue till all is sold.

The Whole STOCK in the Woollen Drapery, Hatter, and Hosiery business,

consisting of a great variety of the most fashionable goods, viz.

A large assortment of Superfine Cloth, at 16 s. 6 d. and 16 s. 8 d.
Season's Variety of Coarse Blue Cloth and Kerseys.
Punters Cloths.
Wilton and German Serges.
Plain, striped and clouded Duffels.
Fringes and Shalloons.
Hair Shags.
Thickets and Fustians.
Jeans and Jeannetts.
Marbled Quilting, plain and Stripped.
Denims, Sattinets, and variety of Cotton Stuffs for breeches.

Printed Velvelets and Corderoys.
Black Lappings and Mancoes.
Florentines for vests and breeches.
Prince's Stuffs.
Men and Boys Hats.
Fashionable and Military cocked ditto.
Ladies Rilling Hats.
Silk and Worsted Gloves.
Black Silk and Worsted Stockings—pieces and Web for breeches.
Men and Boys worsted and thread Stockings.
Mens white and coloured Silk Hosiery, ribbed and plain, new patterns.

White and coloured, ribbed and plain spun Silk Hosiery, Cotton and Worsted Caps, Lamb-wool Hosiery, fashionable fluffs for vests, Seamen's Jackets, Shirts, Trowers, and bedding.

N. B. Part of the goods are just now come to hand, in the Mary, Captain John Hay, from London. Allowance will be made to merchants purchasing whole pieces or parcels.

TRUSTEES MEETING AT KINROSS.

THE Trustees upon the Turnpike-Road between North Queensferry and Perth, having, at their meeting upon the 29th of May last, appointed a General Meeting to be held at Kinross, upon the last Saturday of August next, being the 28th of that month, for the purpose of fixing a toll bar near to Kirkcaldy, upon the line of the road leading from Inverkeithing to Kirkcaldy, it is therefore requested the Trustees will attend.

NOTICE TO CREDITORS.

THE Creditors of Mr GEORGE PIMMOR of Kirkton, late merchant in Dundee, are requested to meet by themselves, or their agents, in Mrs Gutzman's Coffee-house in Dundee, on Thursday next the 10th of June, at twelve o'clock noon, upon some matters of importance are to be submitted to their consideration.

NOTICE

TO the Creditors of JOHN IMBRIE Candlemaker in Glasgow. THAT the estate or the said John Imbrie was, upon the 27th May last, sequestrated, in terms of the act passed in the 23d year of the reign of his present Majesty; and at a meeting of the creditors held under the said act upon the 1st June current, Archibald Liddell merchant in Glasgow, was appointed interim factor upon the estate; and a general meeting of the creditors for choosing a trustee, or succession of trustees, or factor on the said estate, was appointed to be held within the house of Mrs Sheid vintner in Glasgow, on Tuesday the 6th day of July next, at twelve o'clock noon.

That the said Archibald Liddell having applied to the Sheriff depute of the county of Lanark, in terms of the statute, he appointed Tuesday the 8th, Tuesday the 15th, Tuesday the 22d, and Tuesday the 29th of June current, as the four diets for the examination of the bankrupt, in the Sheriff court house of the county of Lanark, in the city of Glasgow.

Of all which the said Archibald Liddell hereby gives notice, and requests the creditors to be present at the examination, that they may have an opportunity of putting such questions as shall be judged of importance for rendering the discovery and surrender of the bankrupt-estate more complete.

ARCH. LIDDELL.

ADDRESSES TO THE THRONE.

AS it has been the opinion of many, that the late Addresses of the People were not to be considered as the voice of the people—in order to show how far this opinion has been justified by the late elections,

This day (June 4th, 1784.) is published.

And will be sold by J. Dickson, and C. Elliott, Booksellers, Price Sixpence.

Alphabetical List of all the Cities, Boroughs, Shires, Towns, and Communities in Great Britain, that have Addressed the Throne, taken from the London Gazette, from the 4th February, when the first Address appeared, to the 18th May 1784, when the present Parliament met.

To which are added, TEN COLUMNS,

The first containing the names of the late Members for these Cities, Boroughs and Shires—the 2d, 3d, and 4th, distinguishing those that supported Ministry and Opposition, and were absent;—and the 5th and 6th distinguishing the Scots Boroughs and Communities that have presented Addresses.—The 7th column contains the names of the present Members, and the 8th, 9th, and 10th, distinguish those, who, it is known, will support Ministry and Opposition; and those, who it is not known what party they will support; all this is particularly shown in each line, and the columns being summed up, it appears, in one view, how far the late elections correspond with the received meaning of these Addresses.

Perry's Solvent for the Stone & Gravel.

A Fresh Cargo of the above valuable Medicine is just arrived from LONDON.

AND IS SOLD at ALEXANDER MANNER'S, Merchant, who is now Removed from his old shop to the first door of the fair immediately above said shop, being the first turnpike west of the Iron Church, in bottles at one guinea, half a guinea, and five shillings and sixpence each, and no where else in Scotland.—Prepared by S. PERRY Surgeon, London.

At the above place, HAMILTON'S Tincture for the Toothach, in bottles at 2s. 6d.—And his Powder for the Teeth, at 1s.

And this Day is Published, price bound 3s. (dedicated to the Royal College of Physicians, London), a new edit.

Being the 6th, with additions, of

A DISQUISITION OF THE STONE AND GRAVEL.

In which the occult causes of the Stone are assigned, its principles explained, shewing by what means a nucleus is formed which generates the stone; also diagnostics stated for distinguishing those from other diseases; the inefficacy of soapy liquors pointed out; together with a certain cure for this disorder, proved and illustrated by several remarkable cases; likewise observations on the Gout, when combined with the Stone.—By S. PERRY, Surgeon.

London.—Printed for T. Becket, &c.

N. B. Alexander Manners continues to deal, as in his former shop, in every article in the Grocery Way.

SALE OF LANDS IN KIRKCUDBRIGHT.

AND NOTICE TO CREDITORS.

TO be SOLD, by public roup, within the Exchange Coffee-house in Edinburgh, upon Friday the 2d July, 1784, between five and six afternoon, the LANDS aforementioned, belonging to Robert Rae writer in Kirkcudbright, either together or in the lots following.

Lot 1. The Lands of BIBBLE, lying in the parish of Kirkcudbright, and shewarty of Kirkcudbright. These lands are set at 5s. 10s. 6d. upon a tack for nineteen years from Whitunday 1779. They consist of above 720 acres, partly arable and meadow, and partly muir-ground. They lie within two miles of Ferrytown, where plenty of fish are to be had. Part of them is already felled, and the whole well inclosed, and properly divided.

Lot 2. The Seller's Liferent Superiority of the Lands of CHAPLITOWN, lying in the shewarty of Kirkcudbright.

The articles of roup &c. are to be seen in the hands of Mr William Keith acceptant, or John Tait, junr, writer to the signet, Prince's Street, Edinburgh; to either of whom, or to John Thomson writer in Kirkcudbright, persons desirous of farther information may apply.

Mr Keith, as trustee for Mr Rae and his creditors, having sold part of Mr Rae's lands, the price of which is payable at Martinmas next, proposes, at that term, to make a dividend among the creditors of the price of the lands sold, and such other funds as shall by that time be made effectual; and therefore, he desires, that the whole creditors will immediately lodge their grounds of debt, with oaths on the verity thereof, either in the hands of him, the trustee, or of Mr Tait. Such of the creditors as have not already done it, are requested immediately to sign the deed of accession, or to give authority to their depts to sign it for them. The principal deed is in the hands of Mr Tait, and a copy thereof in the hands of Mr Thomson at Kirkcudbright.

Sale of Lands in the Shire of Wigton.

TO be sold by public voluntary roup, within the Exchange Coffee-house, Edinburgh, on Wednesday 23d June, 1784.

The two and a half merk Land of CAPENOCH, and two merk Land of CULBAE, of old extent, lying in the parish of Kirkcudbright, and shire of Wigton.

These Lands consist of about 400 acres, are partly in the natural possession of the proprietor, and partly under lease; that part under lease, is rented at 4s. 10s. per annum, and the part in the proprietor's natural possession, is reckoned not much inferior in value. They hold blench of the crown, and entitle the proprietor to a vote in the county. They lie within a few miles of the sea, and of the town of Wigton. There is marle within the lands, and ready access to lime.

For the encouragement of purchasers, the upset price is to be 1400l. Sterling.

The progress of writs, articles, and conditions of sale, to be seen in the hands of Alexander Abercrombie, writer to the signet.

SALE OF HOUSES in the Broad Wynd, Leith.

TO be SOLD by public voluntary roup, in the Exchange Coffee-house, Edinburgh, upon Wednesday 7th July next, betwixt the hours of twelve noon and one afternoon.

That TENEMENT of LAND on the north side of the Broad Wynd, Leith, lately belonging to the deceased Mungo Scott glazier in Edinburgh, commonly called SCOTT'S LAND, consisting of three floors. It is possessed by six different tenants; each house consists of three rooms, kitchen, and various other conveniences, all well lighted, and in good condition.—As also, that TENEMENT of LAND adjoining thereto, lately built by the deceased Elizabeth Hannah shipmaster in Leith, called HANNAH'S LAND, consisting also of three floors, with a large shop on the ground floor, and a cellar under said shop. Each flat of this tenement consists of two rooms and kitchen, with other conveniences, all fitted up in the neatest manner; and there are coal-cellars belonging to the above houses. They are remarkably well, and are presently possessed by good tenants.

The present rent payable for Scott's Land is 55 l. and the rent payable for Hannah's Land is 21 l. 14 s. amounting in all to 76 l. 14 s.—They will be either sold together or separately, as purchasers shall incline, being distinct tenements, with separate entries.

The progress of writs, which is complete and clear, the rental, and articles of sale, are to be seen in the hands of Edward Bruce clerk to the signet, who will inform as to other particulars, and to whom any person inclining to make a private bargain may apply.

GOLD LOST.

SEVEN or EIGHT GUINEAS of Gold, and Two or Three HALF GUINEAS, wrapped up in paper, were LOST on the evening of Wednesday the 2d current, on the road leading from the General Post Office in Edinburgh, by Mr Dumbreck's stables, the South back of the Canongate, by the fourth side of Musselburgh, Prestons, Leith, and Ballantrae, to the village of Drem in East Lothian.

Whoever will return them to the Publisher of this paper, shall be handsomely rewarded.

FRANCIS HOWDEN, JEWELLER.

(Who formerly carried on business with the late Mr John TAYLOR.) BEGS leave to acquaint the Public, That the said Copartnership was DISSOLVED with consent at Whitunday last; and that he now carries on the Goldsmith and Jewellery business for himself, at his shop, fourth side of the Parliament Square, Edinburgh.

F. Howden returns his acknowledgments to those who formerly favoured him with their employment, of which he now solicits the continuance; and in executing their commands every degree of care and attention will be paid, in order to merit their approbation.

F. Howden having now right to the whole debts which were owing to his late partner and him, the debtors are requested to order payment; and the debts owing by the Copartnership will be paid by the said Francis Howden.

COAL FOR SALE.

THE COAL-WORK at Pittenweem, being now in full working, Shipmasters and others will be supplied, as usual, and have quick dispatch, with best Splint and Cherry Coal. The Splint coal is much esteemed for the Dutch market, and any quantity can be provided.

COAL TO LET.

TO be LET for a term of years, the valuable and long-established COAL of OLD SAUCHIE, situated near the port of Alloa, on the Frith of Forth, and in the county of Clackmannan.

This coal has always been a favourite one in the trade, and is well known. It is at present thoroughly fitted, and in high order, as to working pits, colliers houses, gins, offices, and tackle of all sorts.—There is also a very capital modern steam engine in good repair, and a set of very stout industrious hand working colliers. Upon the whole, the most advantageous terms will be given, to any established company or adventurer, who can give sufficient security. The works will be shown by Bailie Buchanan at Alloa, or Alexander Flint at Sauchie. Proposals to be given in to George Martin, or Thomas Smith, writers, Argyle-square, Edinburgh, on or before the 1st of July next, where particulars may be learned, and persons having offers to make will be treated with.

N. B. There is a good and substantial dwelling-house contiguous to the premises, which may be had, with several acres of good land, mostly in pasture, well fenced and well watered.

FARM IN TWEEDALE TO LET.

THE Farm of HAIRSTAINS, lying in the parish of Kirkcudbright, and county of Peebles. It lies upon the great road from Edinburgh to Dumfries, by Moffat, and near to that part where the road from Peebles to Glasgow crosses the other road.

As there has always been a public house at Hairstains, the present proprietor proposes to continue the same with a suitable number of offices, and the farm itself is very convenient for that purpose, and, as it is out of lease, a tenant may enter to it immediately.

Mr James Henderson at Kirkcudbright will show the grounds, and for further particulars apply to Cornelius Elliot writer to the signet, Edinburgh.

JUDICIAL SALE OF PITKERMUCK.

TO be SOLD by public roup, under the authority of the Court of Session, within the Parliament or New Session-House in Edinburgh, upon Wednesday the 30th day of June 1784, betwixt the hours of four and six afternoon.

The Lands of WESTER PITKERMUCK, with their pertinents, lying in the parish of Kirkcudbright, and shire of Perth.

These Lands hold feu of Mr Rutherford now of Abinethly, for payment of 1 l. 13 s. 4 d. of yearly feu-duty, including 6 capons, and 6 hens converted at half a merk Scots each. The free yearly rent of the lands is proven to be 13 l. 6 s. 11 d. Sterling, valued at twenty-five years purchase, makes 333 l. 6 s. 11 d. Sterling, besides 2 l. 12 s. 11 d. Sterling, yearly of free tiend, valued at five years purchase, being 13 l. 14 s. 7 d. Sterling, amounting in all the upset price to 347 l. 8 s. 6 d. Sterling, at which the foresaid subjects will be exposed.

For further particulars, apply to Thomas Rattray writer in Edinburgh, or Mr Keith Dunbar, Depute-Clerk of Session, and clerk to the process of sale, or to James Chalmers writer in Perth.

TO be SOLD by private bargain.

THE Lands and Estate of RATHO, lying in

the parish of Ratho, six miles west from Edinburgh, near the great road leading to Glasgow. The nett free rent of the whole, converting the victual at a medium of the fairs for eight years past, amounts to 389 l. 4 s. 1 d. 8 p. The estate consists of 517 Scots acres, 1 rood 21 fells, all inclosed except about twenty acres; holds blench of the Crown; and is valued in the cess-books at 500 l. Scots.

There is a good old house, garden, and pigeon-house. The leases of a considerable part of the estates are expired; and there is a great deal of valuable planting.

For particulars, enquire at Mr Mitchellson, Carrubber's Close, who has powers to conclude a bargain.

David Hagart at Ransfield Farm will show the boundaries of the estate.

Judicial Sale of Lands in Ayrshire.

TO be SOLD by authority of the Court of Session, within the Parliament or New Session-house of Edinburgh, upon Wednesday the 16th day of June 1784, betwixt the hours of four and six afternoon.

The Lands and Estate of KILDONNAN, lying in the parish of Colmonell, and shire of Ayr.

These lands hold blench of the Prince; and the total gross rent of the flock and teind, free of all deductions, is 1. 177 l. 15 s. 10 d. From which deduct the teind, 34 l. 10 s. 9 d.

Leaves of free flock, 193 s. 1 d.

Which being valued at twenty-two years purchase, the upset price of the flock is 315 l. 11 s. 10 d. Sterling; and as the teinds are bishop's teinds, and therefore not saleable, no value is put thereon. There is besides a very valuable wood on these lands, on which no value is put.

This estate is most desirable for any gentleman fond of country amusements, as it is situated in the heart of a country abounding with game, and where he can have the best opportunity of fishing.

AS A L S O,

THE SURPLUS RENT arising to the principal tackman, out of the farm of Chapleodonan, which lies in the neighbourhood of Girvan, being 33 l. 16 s. 3 d. Sterling yearly, from the term of Whitunday 1784, till the term of Martinmas 1788, when the principal tack expires. This tack, after deduction of 14 l. 5 s. 3 d. as the expense of making a drain due to one of the sub tenants, payable the one half at Martinmas 1789, and the other at the expiry of the said tack, is valued at 397 l. 15 s. 11 d. Sterling, at which the same is to be exposed.

The articles of roup, title deeds, and rental of the estate, to be seen in the hands of George Kirkpatrick depute-clerk of session, or Alexander Wright writer to the signet.



HOUSE OF COMMONS.

MONDAY, May 31.

WENT through, in Committee, with several amendments, the American Trade Bill. To be reported on the morrow.

Read a second time Longuet's Inclosure Bill. Resolved that this House will, on Wednesday next, resolve itself into a Committee to consider of Ways and Means and a Supply.

Lord Galway reported, that his Majesty had been waited on with their address of Friday last, and that he would order the proper estimates to be laid before them.

Resolved, in a Committee of Supply, that 26,000 seamen, including marines, be employed in the sea service for the year 1784, and that 4 l. per man per month be allowed for maintaining the said men, including the ordnance for sea service.

Ordered the said resolutions to be reported on the morrow.

Mr Hughson, from the Exchequer, presented accounts of Exchequer bills, which were ordered to lie on the table.

Received and read a petition from the Bank of Scotland, which was referred to a Committee.—Also a petition from the Trustees of the British Museum, which was ordered to lie on the table.

Received and read a petition complaining of an undue election for Hindon. To be heard the 23d of September.—Also one on an undue election for Ashburton, which was ordered to be heard, with Sir Ralph Payne's, on the 8th of July.

The House having then resolved itself into a Committee of Supply, some of the members called Mr Ord to take the chair, while Mr Pitt, and several others, called Mr Gilbert, on which Mr Fox rose, and said, that, in his opinion, Mr Ord was a gentleman, who, from his conduct, candour, and impartiality in the discharge of his duty during the time he had the honour of being Chairman of that Committee, was fully entitled to a continuance of it. The choice of this or that man, he said, ought not to influence any gentleman to give his vote on the present occasion; nothing less than a conviction of the abilities and integrity of the gentleman whom they wished to appoint should actuate them. The matter was not to be considered in that point of view, which he feared it was the intention of some gentlemen to take it. Mr Fox concluded with paying Mr Ord additional compliments for the very disinterested and upright manner in which he had discharged his duty, and with moving that he should take the chair.

Mr Pitt said, that it was far from his intentions to make a party question of the matter. An honourable friend of his had first mentioned Mr Gilbert, and in his opinion Mr Gilbert was a gentleman, whom, from his abilities and integrity, he was well warranted to recommend as a person fully qualified to fill the chair, and he would therefore give him his support; yet he wished it not to be understood that he meant to throw any reflection on Mr Ord. One strong motive he had for supporting Mr Gilbert was, that he was first mentioned, and of course ought to be preferred.

The Speaker then put the question, that Mr Gilbert do take the chair, which being agreed to without a division, the House resolved itself into a Committee, and

Mr Brett moved, that 26,000 seamen, including 4495 marines, be granted to his Majesty for the year 1784.

Sir Thomas Frankland begged leave to say a few words relative to the officers of the navy.—The commanders of ships at this time, in the Mediterranean, and not men; a boy of sixteen, who had interest, having been promoted to the degree of captain before he had been 12 months at sea; though, according to act of Parliament, he ought to be six years, two of which they were to continue mate or midshipman, and for the remainder of the time to go through the other stations by a regular gradation.

Sir John Jarvis made some observations relative to smuggling; he said there was not that encouragement given to the ships employed in that service, which, in his opinion, ought to be given; for if the smuggling prizes were properly divided among the captors, it would be an inducement to them to pursue with alacrity and spirit, which was not at present the case, as they had not the benefit of their captures.

Lord Mulgrave said a few words in reply, after which the motion was agreed to.

Mr Brett then moved that the sum of 4 l. per man per month (including the ordinaries) for thirteen months, be granted to his Majesty, for the men stipulated in the former vote, which being agreed to, and the House resumed,

Mr Pitt moved, that the act passed in the 23d year of his present Majesty, for allowing ships to trade to America without documents, &c. be continued one month longer. This also was agreed to, after some conversation between him, Mr Dundas, Mr Dempster, Mr Eden, &c.

Mr Burke then gave notice, that he intended to make a motion on Wednesday next, grounded on his Majesty's Speech: His reason for this early intimation of his intention, he said, was, that the House might not be surprised, and perhaps say, when it came before them, that it was a matter of great importance, and of course that they ought to have time to consider of it. He wished, therefore, they should turn the matter in their minds, and not appear to be strangers to it when it should come before them. The object of his motion was that part of the King's Speech which reflected a censure on the last Parliament. His Majesty had certainly a just right to recur to his people for their opinions, when it was found expedient; but he must add, that a dissolution of Parliament was a matter of greater weight and importance, than it seemed those who advised his Majesty to the late rash and precipitate measure were aware of. This, he said, was as remarkable an era as the annals of this country perhaps had ever produced, and he sincerely wished such a one might never happen again. He made a nice discrimination between the different branches of the Constitution of this country and their distinct capacities, and concluded with observing, that his object was in his idea a matter of so serious a nature, that the House could not give it too full or impartial an hearing.

Mr Pitt begged the Honourable Gentleman's pardon if he did not perfectly understand him: He conceived that the Hon. Gentleman had given notice of an intended motion, and yet had never once mentioned the tendency of it. If its object was to be confined to his Majesty's speech, the day mentioned was, in his idea, an improper time to animadvert on it, as it had already been the object of debate, and the House had sent an Address in consequence of it; he wished the Hon. Gentleman, therefore, to tell what was the object of his intended motion, as by what had fallen he was unable to collect it.

Mr Burke said, that he had already sufficiently explained his object, and would therefore rest under that explanation till the

day on which he had signified his intention of bringing it forward.

Mr Fox begged leave to trouble the House for a few moments, to explain the object of a paper he held in his hand, which, he said, was pretty nearly a transcript of the petition he had the honour a few days before of addressing to them, with this difference only, that here the electors complained of not being represented, and of course insisted on not being liable to bear any part of the taxes proposed to be laid on the subject. This position Mr Fox supported with his usual ability, saying it was aiming at the very vitals of the Constitution, and destroying the only liberty which an Englishman had left to boast of, to tax him without a delegated power from himself. The electors of Westminster bore a very considerable part of the taxes imposed on the people of this country, and therefore ought not to be denied the dearest rights and privileges they were entitled to.

If the prayer of the present petition was not heard (which he hoped would not be the case) he said he should trouble the House with another. He then recapitulated the several arguments he had used on occasion of his own petition, and wished the House to recollect that the present was not the petition of an individual, but of a great and respectable body, who would not be juggled out of their privileges and immunities.

Mr Fox concluded with moving, that the petition be now read, and that the same lie on the table; which was seconded by Colonel Fitzpatrick.

Mr H. Dundas objected to the petition being laid on the table, being nothing more, he said, than a duplicate of the petition presented by the Right Hon. Gentleman a few days before, and then pending in that House. He moved, therefore, that the words "lie on the table," be left out, and instead thereof be inserted the words, "be taken into consideration with the other petition then pending."

Mr Rolle seconded the amendment.

Mr Pitt strengthened Mr Dundas's objection, declaring he thought the petition turned upon the same principle with that presented in the name of the Right Hon. Gentleman himself, and was merely to be considered as calculated to create vexation and delay.

Mr Fox said he was far from wishing to create delay or vexation; the petition in his hand he looked upon to be calculated for neither, but, on the contrary, to be the most expeditious means of ending the important question then in agitation.

A conversation now ensued between Mr Ellis, Mr Sheridan, Mr Pitt, the Attorney-General, Mr Rolle, &c. after which the question on Mr Dundas's motion was put, and carried without a division.

Mr Fox then gave notice, that he should, on Wednesday next, move, that the petitioners be heard by counsel.

Mr Sheridan said the electors would not have petitioned, but that the treatment his Right Hon. friend's petition had received was so astonishing and extraordinary.

Mr Pitt gave notice that he would bring on the East India business on the morrow.—Adjourned.

From the London Papers, June 1.

Lucerne, April 14. The inhabitants of one of the villages of St Cassiano de Controne, belonging to this republic, and situated at the foot of the Appennines, on the confines of the territory of Pistoia, have been deprived of their goods and habitations by the following misfortune: After a heavy rain, accompanied by strong winds, which continued the whole day on the 29th of last month, a motion of the earth was felt on the 30th in the village of Celle. The frightened inhabitants ran out of their houses, taking with them all the goods they could carry, and driving their cattle before them. They fled to a large and open plain, at some distance, and soon had occasion to experience the good effects of this precaution. Towards the evening of the same day, all their houses were buried in the earth, in number about 50, which served as habitations for 300 people. This singular revolution extended only to a space of three miles round; and this space, formerly so fertile and pleasing, presents now the prospect of barrenness and desolation. There is no appearance of habitation or culture: The loss is computed at 35,000 crowns. The republic, when informed of the misfortune, ordered assistance to be sent to those unhappy sufferers, who have lost their all, and have dispatched six senators to the spot, to examine into the particulars of the disaster, and the means to give relief.

Constantinople, April 16. We flattered ourselves, but in vain, that the peace concluded with Russia would have preferred public tranquillity in these extensive dominions. Our sworn foes, the Persians, have occasioned new irruptions, and, at all hazards, intend to get possession of Bassora. In a violent attack on that fortress, they were repulsed with great loss; but we are informed that their army is augmented by the addition of an immense number of troops, whom the Sophi intends to head in person, while his Lieutenants are making important diversions in other places. The Persians make war with their wonted cruelty, and their Sophi thirsts for blood. By his orders, destruction has been carried over all the environs of Bassora and Bagdad.

Paris, May 21. The Council of War at L'Orient, on the unhappy affair of April 12. 1782, draws towards the close. Sentence is given daily on eight persons, beginning with the inferior officers. It is generally believed that Comte de Grasse, and the principal officers, will be acquitted.

Hague, May 26. M. le Comte de St Saphorin, the Danish Minister, departed last Saturday for London. It is said, that the object of his journey is to negotiate a marriage between the Hereditary Prince of Denmark, and one of the English Princesses.

L O N D O N.

Parliament, it is now said, will sit no longer than till the latter end of July, when it will certainly be prorogued: The petitions before the House in cases of elections will be carried over to the next session.

The petition presented against Mr Fox by Mr Sinclair, complaining of an undue return for the boroughs of Kirkwall, Wick, Dornoch, &c. in Scotland, sets forth, that the election was held on Monday the 26th of April 1784. It states the delegates who voted on each side, and takes notice of other circumstances attending the said election. It then charges the Right Hon. Charles James Fox as being ineligible, not being a legal qualified burgess in any of the said boroughs, and having no connection with, or property in them, not paying tax or tithes to his Majesty, according to the laws and acts of Parliament directing the same; and also that his election is contrary to a Scots act of Parliament for settling the manner of electing

sixteen Peers and forty-five Commoners to represent Scotland in the Parliament of Great Britain, which act declares that none shall be capable to elect, or be elected, to represent a shire or burgh in the Parliament of Great Britain for Scotland, except such as as were then capable, at the time of the Union to elect, which no person was capable of being born out of Scotland, unconnected with that country, and who had no estate or property therein. It further observes, that the petitioner having had the votes of the delegates of the boroughs of Wick and Dornoch, and the delegate from Wick having also declared, that in the event of an equality of votes, by the incapacity of one or more of the four other Commissioners, he gave his casting or decisive voice in favour of the petitioner, he had thereby a majority of legal votes; notwithstanding which the Right Hon. Charles James Fox has been returned as the Burgess duly elected for the aforesaid District of Boroughs, to the manifest injury of the petitioner. It then prays the usual relief, and to be heard by his counsel; and the same now stands appointed in the list for the 15th of July next—which of course will carry it over to the next session of Parliament.

The Earl of Chichester set off to his embassy at Madrid on gain on Friday. The reason of his coming to England has not transpired.

It is now certain that Sir Joseph Yorke returns to the Hague as Ambassador to the States.

This morning advice was received at the East India House, that the Royal Henry, Captain Dundas, from China, and the Northumberland, Captain Rees, from Bengal, were safe arrived in Margate Roads.

The intercourse between the West India islands and America, it is said, will soon be put upon a permanent foundation: Our subjects in those islands, if that intercourse should be denied them, have no other alternative for supplying themselves with food than that of raising it upon their own land. The certain consequence of which will be, an immediate and alarming diminution in the growth and manufacture of their present staple commodities, and consequently of the British revenue.

The extreme length of the trial of the four men who were charged with the murder of Nicholas Caffon, on the 10th of May, which lasted from ten o'clock in the morning till six this evening, obliges us to make a very brief statement of what occurred.—Mr Morgan and Mr Sylvester were counsel for the prosecution, and Mr Erskine, Mr Pigot, Mr Fielding, and Mr Garrow for the prisoners.—None of the witnesses who came on the side of the prosecution appeared to have any thing to say, that could prove the guilt of James Ward, Joseph Shaw, and James Murray, they were ordered down, and the whole weight of the evidence was directed against Patrick Nicholson, who was charged by Joseph Gilmore, Edward Arnold, and John Joseph, with having actually struck the blow which occasioned the death of Nicholas Caffon, particularly John Joseph, who asserted that he saw him strike the blow, and afterwards jump upon the deceased as he lay upon the ground. Many other witnesses were called on the part of the prosecution; but the above three were the only ones that said any thing that could criminate the prisoners. Gilmore gave a very contradictory evidence, and was by Arnold, a witness on the same side, proved to have uttered a direct falsehood.

It appeared very probable that Arnold and Gilmore, who were never examined before this morning upon the matter, had entered into an amicable agreement to obtain the reward for the conviction if they could. John Joseph, whose testimony bore the strongest as to the facts he stated, was by Nicholson, a witness on the same side, proved to have received a thousand lashes in America, for making a false accusation of an attempt to commit an unnatural crime, which he denied upon his oath before when charged by Mr Erskine. Many other creditable people attended to prove that John Joseph was a man of a very bad character, and one whose oath ought not to be taken upon the slightest occasion. Mr Sheridan was called upon to give a description of the nature of the riot, in which the unhappy man lost his life, which he did in a very clear, candid, and impartial manner. It plainly appeared, from this gentleman's testimony, as well as from that of many other witnesses, who came in behalf of the prisoner, that a prodigious crowd of constables attended upon this unfortunate occasion, who had themselves shouted, and discovered every intention to raise a tumult. Nothing came out that could in any respect affect the prisoner at the bar, and it seemed very evident, that the deceased had received his wound from the constables themselves, who, perhaps on account of his not having a staff to distinguish his office, had been mistaken for one of the mob.—Mr Justice Willes summed up the evidence on both sides, with great ability, candour, and humanity, and the Jury immediately after pronounced all the prisoners not guilty, to the satisfaction of all the Court, which had a very numerous and respectable attendance.—Mr O'Brien, who was charged with aiding and abetting the prisoners, then surrendered himself, and was honourably acquitted.

INTELLIGENCE FROM LLOYD'S, June 1.

The Northumberland, Rees, from China, arrived in the river, sailed from St Helena 7th of April, and left there the Raymond and Winterton, who were to sail in a few days for England.

The Montgomery, Davis, from Virginia, arrived in the river, spoke the Good-Intent, Capt. from London to Port Rowley the 8th May, lat. 47. long. 19. W. all well.

Captain M'Combe, of the St Eustasius, arrived in the river from Antigua, spoke the following ships: 7th May, Plymouth, Captain Maynard, from London to Virginia, lat. 34—53. N. long. 52. W. of London, out 28 days all well. 18th ditto, a brig from Liverpool to Boston, William Baker master, lat. 46—47. N. long. 25—9. W. out 20 days all well. 18th ditto, brig Lively, William Weare master, from London to Newberry, out 15 days all well.

The Matthew and Ann, Collins, from Liverpool to Newport in Flinders, run upon a Flemish Bank, but was got off with the assistance of some fishing boats, and with difficulty carried into Dunkirk, having received great damage.

The Venus, Ford, of Weymouth, sailed from Youghall for Southampton about the middle of January last, and has not since been heard of. No business done this day at 'Change.

WIND AT DEAL, MAY 31. E.

EDINBURGH.

Extract of a letter from London, June 1.

HOUSE OF COMMONS, Tuesday, June 1.

The Chancellor of the Exchequer, after the common business of the day was over, moved, That leave be given to bring in a bill for the more effectually enforcing the payment of the land-tax, and for recovering certain debts due to the Crown, which was agreed to, and the bill ordered to be brought in.

Mr Morton, from the East Company, presented several accounts.

The Chancellor of the Exchequer then moved, That

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the accounts presented should be referred to a Select Com-
mittee, with the same powers given them as the Committee
of the 15th March last." A very short and trifling conver-
sation arose on the subject. The motion was agreed to.
"The Chancellor of the Exchequer moved, "That the
gentlemen who sat at the Committee last year should be
appointed; but as they did not happen to be all returned for
the new Parliament, he would name four gentlemen to be sub-
stituted in the place of those who were absent. The gentlemen
proposed to fill up the Committee were, Mr Dundas, Mr
Brett, Mr Colt, Mr Anstruther. The motion was agreed to,
and the House adjourned.
"The Commons agreed to the report of the resolutions of
yesterday on the Supply.
"Agreed to the report of the amendments made to the A-
merican trade bill. Ordered to be engrossed.
"The Secretary at War presented accounts of extraordina-
ries of the army, and the expenses of new roads in the High-
lands. Ordered to lie on the table.
"Resolved to go into a committee to-morrow, to consider
of the laws to prevent frauds in the revenue by smuggling.
"Ordered in a bill to enforce the payment of land-tax.
"Ordered in a bill for compounding Mr Dixon's debts due
to the Crown.
"The Commissioners of Accounts are probing the wounds
of the state with a bold hand. Their next report will bring
fringe doings to light in the Board of Ordnance. The ex-
penditure there has exceeded the provision of other depart-
ments, as much as a cannon exceeds a musket. The appoint-
ments of Commissioners of Accounts, which was an idea of
Colonel Barre's, was a very mischievous one to all Ministers.
Retrenchments of all kinds weaken the hands of Administra-
tion. The discoveries of the Commissioners, if they are suf-
ficed to go on, will enforce a degree of reform in the public
economy. It is said satirically, that the Minister intends to a-
bolish the institution of Commissioners of Accounts, because
their salaries are an enormous burden on the public.
"The duty will certainly be taken off tea, and laid on the
windows of all houses where tea is used. The duty on claret,
no, will be greatly lowered, if not altogether taken off. The
Ministry are certainly entitled to no small degree of popularity,
for they consult, at once, the taste and the health of his Ma-
jesty's subjects.
Robert Erskine, Esq; younger of Carnock, died at Madeira
on 9th of April last.
On Thursday, Mrs Siddons played the part of Isabella, in
the Fatal Marriage; which, we had always heard, was e-
stimated by the audience of London, as well as by Mrs Sid-
ons herself, the greatest trial and display of her powers. The
audience of Edinburgh have found no reason to dissent from
their decision. So far from it, indeed, that we choose, for
this night, to decline the task of remarking on her perform-
ance. Those who beheld her, stand in no need of a remem-
brance to renew the impressions which she made on them; We
believe, indeed, there are some, and those not few in num-
ber, who would willingly, if they could, chase the picture of
the spectacle from their imagination; And as to those who were
fortunate (shall we say) or unfortunate enough to miss this e-
vening's entertainment, it were an over-confidence in our own
words, if not in the power of language itself, to suppose that
any description we might give of it, could convey any idea of
it, either answerable to our feelings, or, in any degree, wor-
thy of the performer's excellence. It must not, however, be
concluded, from what has been said, that this excellence was
all in one style. In that division of the piece, which precedes
Villero's return, the forlorn Isabella pleaded for our esteem,
our love, and our compassion; with all the power that grace,
and dignity, and delicacy of manners, can bestow upon the
distresses of a beautiful woman, who utters them in the voice,
and with the action of nature itself. Affliction, and affection,
were here, their most elegant and most interesting form.—The
feels of obligation borrowed a noble manner which is little
accustomed to.—Her looks told the story for the poet—and
the language of inquietude and fatigue (in her soliloquy after
Villero's departure, for instance) was spoken with a simplici-
ty, a nicety, a continence, which we should in vain attempt to
render palpable to those (if there were any so void of taste)
who did not feel it at the time. The remainder of the piece
was really terrible—in so much, that in the last scene, while
one of those lengthened tones of anguish was drawing out,
which we never could at any time resist, there arose, at once,
from all sides of the House, a wailing and crying, in the same
note; that almost drowned Mrs Siddons' voice. It was, in
short, (to use a phrase not unjustly suspected of affectation in any
common case) too much—and, as we never before saw any
thing approaching to it; so we are not sure, that we desire e-
ver to see the like again. One thing is clear, that Mrs Sid-
ons is entitled to every mark of gratitude from Edinburgh: For
it is agreed by all, who have seen her both here and in
London, that the exertions which we have witnessed, especial-
ly in the parts of Isabella and Lady Randolph, are even be-
yond what the large audience of the metropolis drew from
her. By these excessive exertions, however, she puts an end
to our encomiums: For since she contrives to rise above praise,
she must be content to be admired in silence.
Yesterday, being the anniversary of his Majesty's birth-day,
when he enters into the 47th year of his age, was observed
here with the utmost demonstrations of joy. In the morning,
the flag from the Castle was displayed. At noon, the great
guns were fired, which was returned by the 9th regiment
drawn up on the Castle-hill; and several rounds of the new
battery at Leith were fired. At the same time the music-bells
were set a-ringing. In the afternoon, the Lord Provost, Ma-
gistrates, and Council, attended by a number of Nobl men and
Gentlemen of distinction, with the officers of the army, and
the Trained Bands, assembled in the Parliament-house, where
they drank his Majesty's health, with a variety of other loyal
toasts, under repeated flourishes of trumpets, and volleys of
small arms from the City Guard, drawn up in the Parliament
Close. After which the great bells were set a-ringing, and the
evening concluded with a brilliant assembly.
We are extremely sorry to mention, that the innocent and
harmless demonstrations of joy, which in general prevailed in the
city, was so much and so egregiously dishonoured in the neigh-
bourhood of it. An extensive distillery having lately been e-
rected at Canonmills, the ignorant and unthinking have enter-
tained a notion, that the high price of provisions is solely to be
attributed to the quantity of grain there manufactured into spi-
ritous liquors, without at the same time reflecting, that, if we
were not ourselves to consume the grain in that manner, our

neighbours in England would, to the great detriment of this
country. With this erroneous impression upon the minds of the
vulgar, various incendiary letters have been dropped, at differ-
ent times, in the streets, tending to incite a general rising to
pull down or burn this extensive work. Last night, it would
appear, had been fixed upon for this lawless purpose. A great
mob accordingly assembled, who after throwing stones for some
time, attempted to break into the house. In this they were
resisted by the people within, who having been put upon their
guard by the letters already mentioned, were properly armed
for defence. The attack at last became so furious, that one
man unfortunately lost his life, just as he had got half-way in
at the outer gate, or wicket, by two men belonging to the
work firing their pieces at him. This, instead of dispersing,
rather increased the mob. A party of the military, therefore,
from the Castle, and of Dragoons from Leith, immediately
attended; properly supplied with powder and ball; and the
consequences might have been truly dreadful indeed, if Mr
Sheriff Cockburn had not been present. That magistrate, whose
public spirited conduct cannot be sufficiently applauded, excit-
ed upon this, as on every trying occasion, those abilities for
which he has been long conspicuous, and which were attended
with the most happy effect, as he did more to prevent the peo-
ple from perpetrating their intended purpose by his affable and
convincing arguments, than even the terrors of an armed force
opposed to them. The unhappy victim in this business was far
from enjoying an unexceptionable character. To the honour
of the proprietors of the distillery, however, we are happy to
learn, that they not only propose to bury him at their own ex-
pense, but likewise to provide for his aged parents so long as
they live. The two men who fired the guns, by which he fell,
were, by order of the Sheriff, last night committed to prison;
but, though they were guarded by a party of dragoons, and
evidently entitled to protection, as being prisoners by warrant
of a civil magistrate, so lost to all sense of right reason were the
insatiable multitude, as to pelt them with stones on their way
up to town in so cruel a manner, that one of their lives is de-
paired of, and the other very much bruised. Several of the
dragoons, as well as their commanding officer, suffered greatly
from the same cause. Mr Sheriff Cockburn did not leave the
place till this morning, and until all the rioters had been long
before dispersed. To prevent any future attempt of this nature,
the Sheriff has ordered a constant guard to be lodged in the
house.
It is the height of folly in the mob to imagine, that, when
they destroy or pull down any person's property, they thereby
do an injury to the proprietor. They must, or ought to know,
that the town or county where the riot happens is liable for the
damage sustained; and that, in attempts of this kind, they in
fact do no hurt to the particular person they mean to injure,
but to the innocent inhabitants of the district, who are bound
to make up the whole loss.
This being the anniversary of his Majesty's birth-day, the
same was celebrated here by the ringing of bells, and a dis-
charge of the great guns by the Royal artillery; and, in the
evening, the Magistrates and Town Council, with the military
Officers and other Gentlemen, went to the Town-house, and
drank the healths of his Majesty and the Royal Family, with
other loyal toasts; and the auspicious day was concluded with
every demonstration of unfeigned joy.
The Royal College of Physicians in Edinburgh, at their last
quarterly meeting, admitted Doctor James Wood, M.D., F.R.S.
at Doncaster; Fellow of the College.
The Minerva, Boyd, from Clyde, is arrived at Philadel-
phia.
The Rebecca, McNeil, from Jamaica, is arrived at Balti-
more.
Captain Wiseman, of the Isabella, arrived at Liverpool,
spoke, on the 9th inst. with the brig Virginia, from Leith for
Virginia, in lat. 40. 11. long. 42. 30. out four weeks and four
days, all well.
The appearance of plenty of all productions of the earth was
never more pleasing than at present; and it is hoped that the
year 1784 will be as abundant in corn, hay, and fruits, as any
one for forty years past.
Monday last, being Glasgow Whitsunday fair, there was as
fine a show of horses as had been seen there for many years
past. They were mostly of the draught kind, and sold at high
prices.
Wednesday, Hugh Anderson and William Bread, tried at
the last Circuit Court at Glasgow for house-breaking and
theft, were, pursuant to their sentence, whipped by the hands
of the hangman, through the principal streets of that city.
They are likewise banished Scotland for life.
Thursday last week, in the conclusion of that day's sedentary
the General Assembly considered and determined a complaint
of Mr James Lawson, against the Presbytery of Auchterarder,
for contempt of, and disobedience to the appointment of
the General Assembly last year. The Presbytery had refused
him his own papers, or extracts of them, and of other papers
in which his interest and character were concerned; but the
Assembly allowed him full extracts. Then the Presbytery de-
termined that he should have full extracts, not only of what
he wanted, but of all he had extracted of the whole process
these thirteen years; however, the 4th of May, they had not
so much as put their books and papers into the hands of their
present clerk. Therefore the General Assembly, having reason-
ed on this affair, unanimously agreed to the following de-
cision; Did, and hereby Do Order the Presbytery of Auch-
terarder, to allow Mr Lawson full extracts of every thing on
their record relating to the cause, so far as he shall demand;
and that if he ask papers that lie in retentis, he shall have at-
tested copies of them, all on or before the 12th of August
next.
Mr SPENCE DENTIST, has been informed, That mess-
ages for him have been sent to Dr DAVID SPENCE in Ward-
rope's Court, who is out of town.—But Mr SPENCE's house
is in James's Court, eastmost entry, where he is always to be
found.
SOUND SHIPPING.
PASSED THE SOUND.
May 18. Britannia of Dyfart, Nicol, from Kirkcaldy, for Copenhagen,
with coals.
Margaret of Leith, Ram'ay, from Marstrand, for Riga, herring.
20. Friendship of and for Arbroath, Spink, from Koningberg, grain.
Two Brothers of and for Montrose, Reid, from Memel, ditto.
21. Anne of Kincardine, Brown, from Koningberg, for Perth, ditto.
Chastina of Airth, Scott, from Gottenburgh, for Danzig, herring.
Peggy of and from Alloa, Paterson, from Memel, ditto.
22. Chance of and from Saltcoats, Duncan, for Danzig, ditto.
Charlotte of ditto, Stephenson, from Dublin, for Memel, ditto.
William and James of Kincardine, Sands, from Memel, for Perth,
with grain.
Janet of and for Crail, Hodge, from Koningberg, ditto.
ARRIVED AND REMAIN WITHIN SOUND.
Neptune of Dyfart, Mitchell, from Memel, for Inverkeithing, ballast.
Thomas and Margaret of Kincardine, Scotland, from Memel, for
Perth, with grain.
Athole of and for Dundee, Cable, from Memel, with oats.
Peggy of and for Dundee, Kid, from Danzig, with grain.
Isabella of Dundee, Anderson, from Danzig, for Grangemouth, do.
Nancy of and for Dundee, Cathness, from Danzig, with ditto.
FLUOREN, May 22. Wind, W. N. W. WALTER WOOD.
ARRIVED AT LEITH, June 1.—Peggy, MacLaren, from Inverkeithing,
with goods; Peggy, Scott, from Dunbar, with grain; Lady Grant,
Malcolm, from Arbroath, with goods; Mary, Hay, from Lon-
don, with ditto; Hope, Korrugon, from Easterey, with wood;
Pollition, Triamp, from Danzig, with oak plank.—2. Excel-
lent, Morfot, from Bo-ness, with coals; Star, Kitchie, from Lon-
don, with goods; Industry, McKenzie, from Findhorn, with
slaves; Annabella, Spittle, from Gottenburgh, with deals, &c.
Eden, Wilkinson, from Koningberg, with grain; Robert, Strong,
from Shetland, with coals.
SAILED, 5. Diligence, Butler, for London, with goods.
ARRIVED AT GREENOCK, June 1.—Prince of Wales cutter, Cap-
tain Campbell, with a prize.—2. Mary and Bell, Law, from Dub-
lin with goods; Jenny, Campbell, from Campbeltown, with line-
stones.—3. Peggy, McLaughlan, from Edinb., with slate.
SAILED, May 31. Katharine, Kerr, for Ireland, with herrings; Pol-
ly, Iver, for Dunkirk, with tobacco. June 1. Bolton, Hunter, for
Boston, with goods.—3. Betty and Mally, McIntosh, for Philadel-
phia, with goods; Peggy, Lamont, for Belfast, with goods. 4. Lu-
cky, Cambridge, for Halifax, with date.
ARRIVED AT GRANGEMOUTH, June 1.—Isabella, Duncan, from
Eyemouth, with flour and grain; Janet, Meams, from Dronbl-
an, with tar.—2. Fanny Mundieley, Mions, from Yarmouth, with
beans; Harbord, Cozens, from Blackney and Clay, with pease and
barley; Jean, Reid, from Aberdeen, with malt; Janet, Ray,
from Gottenburgh, with deals and iron; Isabella, Anderson, from
Danzick, with grain; Peggy, Kid, from ditto, with ditto.—
3. Carron, Paterson, from London, with goods; Isabella, Mar-
garatha, from Easterey, with deals; Janet, Neptune, from A-
rundale, with timber; Lovely Janet, Sorley, from Perth, with
wheat; Sealrough, Fennie, from Yarmouth, with pease; Lady
Charlotte, Ferrier, from Leith, for Glasgow, with sundries;—
Morrison, from Arundale, with timber.
SAILED, May 4.—Gentious Mind, Knight, for Dundee, with
hides and tar; Jean, Brown, for Leith, from Glasgow, with
sundries.

WANTED FOR A COUNTING-ROOM,
AN EXPERIENCED CLERK, who has been
employed in Edinburgh. None need apply but such as can be prop-
erly recommended.—Inquire at the Publisher.
Just Published,
A COLLECTION of STRATHSPEY REELS,
With a Bass for the Violoncello or Harpsichord.
Most humbly dedicated to
HER GRACE THE DUCHESS of ATHOLE,
By NIEL GOW at Dunkeld, Price 5 s.
To be had at N. Stewart's Music Shop, Parliament-square; Corri-
and Rutherford, Bridge-street; R. Bremner, and R. Rios, Edinburgh;
James Aird, Glasgow; J. More bookbeller, Dundee; J. Gilles, Perth;
and at the Publisher, Dunkeld.
JAMES CHARLES, HOSTER,
Is removed from opposite the Guard to Bridge Street, next door to
the Post Office.
WHERE the Public may depend upon being served from a com-
plete assortment of Goods in the STOCKING TRADE, upon the
most moderate terms. He begs, in the most respectful manner, to re-
turn his sincere thanks for favours already conferred, and intends a
continuance of them, to merit which may be his constant study.
Variety of Stuffs for Vests and Breeches—Hats, all sorts—Silk and
Pocket Handkerchiefs, &c. &c.
Note.—A few pieces Stripped Demity, to be sold off at cost.
TALLOW AND ASHES.
TO be SOLD, by auction, at Gibb's Coffeehouse in Leith, on
Friday the 18th June, at eleven o'clock forenoon,
Twenty Casks of RUSSIA CANDLE and SOPE TALLOW,
Twenty Casks of CROWN PEARL ASHES.
The goods will be shown by Martin and Kerr, Leith, any time before
the sale.
OAK PLANK AND ASHES.
TO be SOLD, by private bargain, A well assorted cargo of a-inch
OAK PLANK, from 30 to 40 feet long; and a inch ditto,
from 24 to 36 feet long, just arrived from Danzig, with some Tre-
nail and Clapboards.
ALSO, a Quantity of the very best Hungarian and Danzig PEARL
ASHES. Orders addressed to James Hall, merchant in Leith, will be
attended to.
EXCISE OFFICE, Leith, June 3. 1784.
By Order of the Hon. Commissioners of Excise,
ON FRIDAY the 11th of June instant, at Twelve o'clock noon,
there will be exposed to public sale, by auction, in the Hall of
the Chief Office of Excise in Edinburgh,
Several Parcels of BLACK TEA, RUM,
AQUAVITE, SOAP, STARCH, UTENSILS for making soap and
Starch, and the materials of a STILL and WORM, lately condemned
as forfeited, before his Majesty's Justices of the Peace.
The goods and conditions of sale to be seen at the Excise Office,
Edinburgh, on the day before, and morning of the day of sale.
UNDERTAKERS for erecting a FIRE ENGINE
And SINKSMEN WANTED.
THAT the Earl of Aberdeen intends to erect a FIRE ENGINE on
the Duddington Colliery, near Edinburgh, with a Cylinder of
22 inches diameter; the Engine House, and other apparatus in propor-
tion, for a pit of 63 fathoms depth. Such as may be willing to con-
tract for the above, may apply to James Fish, at the Shielhill Colli-
ery, near Falkirk, who will show them the plan, and receive the esti-
mates and proposals for executing the work.
SINKSMEN willing to undertake to sink the above pit, nine feet
diameter, in a workman-like manner, may give in their estimates, fix-
ing the rate progressively for any ten fathoms, either to the said Mr
James Fish or to William Beadie at Duddington colliery.
Caution will be required from the contractors for their performance
of the work.
For CHARLESTON, SOUTH CAROLINA, and WILMINGTON,
NORTH CAROLINA,
THE BRIGANTINE
WILMINGTON,
WILLIAM ALEXANDER Master.
Is now taking in goods at Greenock, and will
positively be clear to sail by the 15th current.
She is a stout British built vessel; quite new,
will sail well, and has good accommodation for
passengers.
FOR WILMINGTON, NORTH CAROLINA,
THE SHIP JEANY,
HUSKINS Master.
Will be clear to take in goods at Greenock by the 15th, and to sail by the
15th July.
The Jeany is a good vessel, and will have proper accommodation for
passengers.
For freight or passage by the above vessel, apply to Mr Robertson,
of Merchant Bank, Glasgow, or of James MacLellan, and Co. Green-
ock.
June 3. 1784.

JUDICIAL SALE
TO be SOLD by authority of the Lords of Council and Session, within the Council or New Session House of Edinburgh, on Thursday the 29th day of July 1784, betwixt the hours of four and six in the afternoon.

The two Merk Land and half Merk Land of AIRDIE, of old extent, lying within the parish of Balmaghie, and stewartry of Kirkcubright, with the teinds thereof; the yearly rent, of which, free of all deductions, is proven to be 29 l. 16 s. 7 d. which being valued at twenty-two years purchase, the upset price is, **1265 4 10**

Also, the Lands of Airds, Over, Middle, and Nether, with the fishings, mill, ferry-boat, and pertinents belonging thereto, all lying within the parish of Kells and stewartry of Kirkcubright; and all right and title that Alexander M'Ghie of Airds has to the Brockloch Meadow, the gross rent of which lands, in stock and teinds, is proven to be, **108 15 14-12ths**

From which deducting
a fifth for teinds, **L. 21 15 03-12ths**
Ferry-duty, **2 0 31-12th**
And school salary not paid by the tenant, **0 7 6** **24 2 9-12ths**

Remains of free rent, **L. 84 12 03-12ths**
Which being valued at 22 years purchase, the upset price is, **1861 9 6**

Total of the upset prices, **L. 2517 14 4**
And, as the teinds of the last-mentioned lands belong to the Chapel Royal, and therefore are not saleable, no value is put upon them.

The Lands all held of the Crown, and entitle the proprietor to vote for a Member of Parliament. The lands of Airds are pleasantly situated at the meeting of the waters of Dee and Ken, have some wood on them, on which no value has been put; and when the lease of Upper and Middle Airds expires, which will be the case in six years, the rents thereof will rise very considerably, which is evident, as the tenant by a sub-tack at present draws double of the rent payable to the proprietor.

This is a purchase well calculated for any gentleman fond of country amusements, as the lands are situated in a part of the country which abounds with game, and where there are the best opportunities for fishing.

The articles of roup, title-deeds, and rental of the estate, may be seen in the hands of Alexander Stevenson, Deputy-Clerk of Session, or Hugh Corrie writer to the Signet, Edinburgh.

BY ADJOURNMENT.
SALE OF LANDS IN LANARKSHIRE.

TO be SOLD by public roup, within the High Court-house, Edinburgh, upon Wednesday the 28th day of July 1784, betwixt the hours of five and six in the afternoon.

The Lands and Barony of MILTON, with the lands thereof, lying in the parish of Canbyke, and shire of Lanark, as the same were formerly advertised.

These lands hold of a subject for payment of 10 s. of fee-duty, with duplication thereof at the entry of heirs and singular successors. The free rent is above 400 s. and, for the encouragement of purchasers, the upset price is fixed at 8000 l. Sterling. They are rated in the 1783-84 at 514 Scots of valued rent.

There is a good mansion-house on the estate, pleasantly situated on the banks of the Clyde, which with about 500 acres of land, is presently out of lease. The whole lands consist of 6720 English acres, mostly inclosed, and there are coal, limestone, and free-stone quarries upon the lands, not rented.

The premises will be shown by John Lawrie overseer at Milton; and for particulars apply to Robert Frazer writer in Hamilton; and the title-deeds, which are clear, the rental, and conditions of roup, and plan of the estate, may be seen in the hands of Archibald Tod writer to the Signet.

LANDS IN ARGYLE SHIRE.

BY ADJOURNMENT.

TO be SOLD by public voluntary roup, in the Exchange Coffee House in Edinburgh, upon Wednesday the 30th June 1784, betwixt the hours of five and seven in the afternoon, in the following Lots:

I. The Lands of KILMICHAEL, INVERLUSSAY, with the mill and pertinents.

II. The Lands of TONARDIE, DUNANS, BARDARROCH, BARINLUSSAN, and BARINDARR, extending in whole to a seven and a half merk land of old extent, with the pertinents.

All the above mentioned lands lie in the parish of North Knapdale.

III. The Three Merk Land of ACHICHOISE, with the pertinents lying in the parish of Glacrie.

The whole lands hold of a subject superior.

Plans of the property lands, the progress of writings, and rentals, may be seen in the hands of James Loch, writer to the Signet.

Sale of Lands in Dumfriesshire.

Upset Price Lowered.

TO be SOLD by public roup, within the Exchange Coffeehouse, Edinburgh, upon Wednesday the 28th of July 1784, betwixt the hours of five and six in the afternoon.

The Lands and Estate of KIRKMICHAEL and GLENAP, lying within the parishes of Kirkcubright and Tynwald, and county of Dumfriesshire, either together, or in the lots following:

I. O. T. I.
The Lands and Barony of Kirkcubright, lying within the parish of Kirkcubright, the free rent of which amounts to about **L. 818 0 0**

II. O. T. II.
The Lands of FULTON, Smithtown, Auchensherhill, Townhead, and Townfoot of Dalnair, Garmichael, and Halkhill, and Upper and Nether Carr, lying within the parish of Tynwald; the free rent of which amounts to about **L. 555 0 0**

III. O. T. III.
The Lands of FULTON, Smithtown, Auchensherhill, Townhead, and Townfoot of Dalnair, Garmichael, and Halkhill, and Upper and Nether Carr, lying within the parish of Tynwald; the free rent of which amounts to about **L. 555 0 0**

IV. O. T. IV.
The Lands of FULTON, Smithtown, Auchensherhill, Townhead, and Townfoot of Dalnair, Garmichael, and Halkhill, and Upper and Nether Carr, lying within the parish of Tynwald; the free rent of which amounts to about **L. 555 0 0**

And besides the rents, the whole tenants on the estate, excepting two farms, are bound to pay the land-tax and other public burdens.

This estate extends from ten to within four miles and a half of Dumfries. The great road now making from Edinburgh to Dumfries, by Moffat, runs through the heart of it. The whole estate, except part of one farm, is arable. It lies compact, in the midst of a pleasant country, well situated for lime, either from Dumfries or from the lime-works at Clovenstone, at about six miles distance. The crops which it produces, both of wheat and oats, are remarkably in quality; and Dumfries and Annan, in the neighbourhood, are inexhaustible markets for grain, both for home consumption and exportation.

There is a good mansion-house on the estate, within lot I. pleasantly situated on the banks of the water of Ae, and the policy and inclosures are extensive and beautiful. There is a large orchard well stocked, and a great deal of wood on the ground, both old and young. The farm-houses are new built, and upon the best plans.

The whole estate holds of the Crown, and affords several freehold qualifications; the title-deeds are perfectly clear; the whole teinds are valued; the teinds of the lands in the parish of Tynwald are exhausted by the stipend payable to the minister, and the proprietor has right to the teinds of the lands in the parish of Kirkcubright.

The title-deeds, articles of roup, rentals, and current leases, are to be seen in the hands of John Tait, jun. writer to the Signet, Edinburgh; and copies of the articles of roup, &c. are also lodged with James Graham writer in Dumfries, factor upon the estate; and to either of them, or to the proprietor at Kirkcubright-house, or Mr John Hay accountant in Edinburgh, persons desirous of further information may apply.

Mr Hay has power to sell by private bargain.

BLACK CATTLE, HORSES, and SHEEP.

THERE are two Annual MARKETS for Black Cattle, Horses, and Sheep, to be held in GORDONSBURGH, at Fort-William, upon the Lordship of Leckat. The first to be held on the second Wednesday of June 1784, and the other to hold on the second Wednesday of November, new style, at which place Drovers, Dealers, and all passengers will be well served and accommodated.

Sale of Lands in the Sheriffdom of Edinburgh.

TO BE SOLD.

THE Mansion-house, Office-houses, Gardens, and Parks of JEANFIELD, within half a mile of Dalkeith.

They are pleasantly situated upon the side of the river South Esk, and at a small expense might be made as fine a villa as any in the kingdom. A rivulet runs through one of the parks.

The gardens are stocked with fruit trees of the best kinds; and the growing timber is in a very thriving state, and of considerable value, a number of the trees being of so great a size and height as rarely to be seen.

For particulars apply to Mr Douglas the proprietor, at Jeanfield, or to John Gray writer to the Signet.

N. B. The premises may be viewed on Wednesdays and Saturdays.

JUDICIAL SALE OF PITTENCRIEFFE.

BY ADJOURNMENT.

Upset Price reduced, and Coal to be exposed with the Lands.
TO be SOLD by authority of the Court of Session, upon Friday the 25th day of June 1784, betwixt the hours of six and seven in the afternoon, within the Parliament House.

The Lands and Barony of PITTENCRIEFFE, and others, situated in the parish of Dunfermline and shire of Fife, (excepting 93 acres of the farm of Blackburn already sold); with various Acres, Houses, Yards, Mills, and Feu-duties, in and about the town and abbey of Dunfermline.

The proven free rent of these subjects is about 989 l. 8 s. 4 d. of which, for mills, houses, and yards, 177 l. and for feu-duties, about 81 l.

The proven value of all together is **L. 19,924 9 7**

Also, The Constabulary and Bailie House, in the Abbey of Dunfermline, presently unlet, with a large Area and other Buildings, valued at **150 0 0**

Grounds for building and feeding on various new streets round the town of Dunfermline, already begun, valued at **1040 0 0**

Wood upon the lands, valued about six years ago at **831 10 4**

Privilege of purchasing teinds of bark acres, **5 14 7**

The proven value and full upset price of these subjects was **L. 21,951 14 6**

But they are now to be set up, for the encouragement of purchasers, at the reduced price of **L. 17,500 0 0**

The Collieries and Ironstone under these lands (excepting about 45 acres of Mounthooly, where the coals belong to Mr Willwood of Garvock), together with the bound colliers there, and the grieves, hoppers, and the privilege of the main level, called the Urquhart level for working them; to be set up now along with the estate at the proven value of **600 0 0**

Total value in one lot, **L. 18,100 0 0**

These coals consist of a two-foot seam, mostly over the whole lands, a five-foot seam, great part of which is still to work; and a split seam of four feet, which is mostly below level, but a considerable quantity may be yet got by a small fire engine, and there may be other seams not yet discovered. The coals are of very excellent quality, lying near the sea, and far to the westward, and that part distant from the mansion-house may, it is not doubted, be let at a good rent to the purchasers of the larger collieries or others, if the proprietor does not chuse to work it himself.

The surface on the estate including fens, &c. and the 45 acres of Mounthooly lands is about 350 Scotch acres.

There is no value put upon a convenient substantial mansion-house of ten rooms, besides closets, nor upon a complete set of new elegant office-houses, pigeon-house, and room water, which have lately cost above 1200 l. The valued rent is nearly equal to three freehold qualifications, and the land-tax and other contingent burdens are remarkably low in proportion to the real rent, as the tenants pay good part of them.

The place is well known to be convenient and beautiful almost beyond description, with the finest near and distant prospects that can be met with. The trees are very thriving and beautiful. The lands are mostly low-lying, as they may with little exception be considered as bottom lands.

There is an increase of rent by agreements for fens since the judicial rental was taken of above 20 l. per annum, and there cannot be a doubt of its advancing considerably by a number of buildings on the various outlets, and new streets begun round the populous and increasing town of Dunfermline, especially as the collieries were once set fairly to work, and there was a plentiful supply, who could give regular fens immediately.

Lot II.
The whole COLLIERIES and IRON-STONE under the adjoining lands of Lulcar, Clunie, Wester Baldrige, and about 93 acres of the lands of Bickburn and Pittencrieffe and others, lately sold to Mr Hog, with all the privileges thereto belonging, but with sundry exceptions and restrictions, as are all more particularly described in former advertisements; and the articles of sale, together with a feu of the farm of Wester Rosyth, and harbour of Bickburn, and also the tacks of the lands of Windlaw, and Minister of Inverkeithing's Glebe, during his incumbency, which are adjoining to Wester Rosyth.

The proven value of this lot, at which it was formerly exposed, (including the coals in the lands of Pittencrieffe, which were valued at 600 l.) was **L. 6322 18 10**

And is now to be set up without them, at the reduced price of **4,700 0 0**

These collieries are known to contain inexhaustible quantities of different kinds of coal, of the best qualities, as more particularly described in former advertisements. They can be wrought for the most part by a level, which has been carried up at a very great expense, and can have a convenient wagon-way made for transporting them to sea. There is 18 feet water at ordinary spring tides in the harbour, and the depth may be increased by extending the pier, which has stone quarries all by it.

Lot III. The Following Parcels of the Lands of HERMITAGE, in the parish of South Leith, viz.

1. Robert Watt's late feu, consisting of about 3 acres, 26 falls, and on which there are several new houses built; gross rent 23 l. 14 s. 9 d.; feu-duty to the Trinity Hospital, valuing barley at 12 s. 6 d. per boll; 5 l. 15 s. 3 d. free rent, 18 l. 3 s. 5 d.

Proven value of this parcel, and at which it was set up formerly, **L. 280**

To be exposed now at the reduced price of **240**

2. James Allison's late feu, a garden, with a large house, containing about 4 acres, 1 food, 64 falls, gross rent, 34 l. 10 s. 2 d. feu-duty, converting the barley as above, 7 l. 7 s. 3 d. free rent, 27 l. 2 s. 10 d.

The proven value, and at which it was set up formerly, **420**

To be exposed now at the reduced price of **330**

3. William Wright's feu, a nursery containing 5 acres, gross rent at 26 l. 5 s. feu-duty 5 l. 12 s. 1 d. free rent 20 l. 12 s. 11 d. proven value at which it was set up formerly, **350**

To be exposed now at the reduced price of **300**

N. B. There is a very copious spring of water in the centre of this lot.

The title-deeds, rentals, and plans of the estate, with the articles and conditions of sale, will be seen in the hands of Mess. John Callender, Deputy-Clerk of Session, and William Anderson clerk to the Signet. Adam Paterson, overseer upon the estate at Dunfermline, will show the premises in Fifeshire, and Alexander Marr gardener on the south side of Leith House, those at Hermitage.

FARM IN BERWICKSHIRE.

TO be SET, for one or two years, by public roup, within the house of Mrs Weir wintner in Dunfermline, on Wednesday the 9th June current at twelve o'clock noon.

The FARM of COCKBURNMAINS, lying in the parish of Dunfermline, and shire of Berwick. The farm is very extensive, and a fine dry they pasture.

The conditions of set will be seen in the hands of Mr Ainslie at Berwick, near Dunfermline, to whom, or to James Walker writer to the Signet, any person wanting to take the same, may apply.

The people on the lands will show the farm.

To be SOLD by public roup, within the Exchange Coffeehouse, Edinburgh, upon Thursday the 6th day of August 1784, betwixt the hours of five and six in the afternoon.

THE Estate of BARSKEOCH, lying in the parishes of Dalry and Kells, and stewartry of Kirkcubright; the gross rent whereof, without reckoning the value of grasslands, is about 837 l. and the deductions from the rental are under 30 l.

The estate will be sold altogether, or in the following lots, viz.

LOT I.
The Lands of Garvorries, Drumblair, Lochsprag, Largmore, Cleun, Duketown, Burnhead, and Knockthorn, all in the parish of Kells. Gross rent about 470 l. and the woods upon the lands are valued by persons of skill at 229 l. 6 s. 8 d.; upset price 10,000 l. There is a very promising appearance of lead in the lands of Lochsprag.

NOTA.—If not sold altogether, these lands will be exposed separately, as purchasers incline.

LOT II.
The Mains of Earlsferry, with the Mansion-house and Offices, Salmon-fishing, Mill, Muircures, Mill Lands, and Mill-town Park, lying in the parish of Dalry; and Mains of Barskeoch, Lands of Over Barkeoch, Cavan, Haunatton, Barchoah, and Cromiepark, lying in the parish of Kells;—the gross rent whereof is about 330 l.

There are extensive woods upon these lands, valued at 235 l.; upset price 9300 l.

LOT III.
The Lands of Waterfide, and Ferry-boat, with the Willow Isle and Greenloop, lying in the parish of Kells. Waterfide is at present possessed upon an old family lease, of which seventeen years are to run; at the low rent of 28 l. 13 s. 11 d. but are worth 100 l.; the woods are valued at 240 l. Upset price 1470 l. and affords a freshhold qualification upon the old extent.

For the encouragement of purchasers, the whole estate will be exposed to sale in one lot at 19,800 l.

The whole lands hold of the Crown, and consist of above 14000 acres. The mansion-house and office-houses are in good repair, furnished with policy, and pleasantly situated on the river Kenn, which, near the house forms a beautiful cascade, and a little below there is an excellent salmon-fishing. The lands afford three freshhold qualifications, besides the one upon Waterfide. The farm-houses are in good repair; the teinds of the whole estate are valued, and the title-deeds quite clear, and a search of incumbrances can be shown.

The rental, valuation of woods, state of grasslands paid, progress of writs, and articles of sale, to be seen in the hands of John Syme writer to the Signet; to whom, or to David Russell accountant, application may be made for further particulars. Mr Newall, the proprietor, at Earlsferry, will show the lands and plan of the estate. Persons inclining to make a private bargain may make proposals to any of these Gentlemen.

JUDICIAL SALE OF
LANDS IN THE COUNTY OF PERTH.

TO be SOLD by public roup, under authority of the Lords of Council and Session, within the Parliament or New Session House of Edinburgh, upon Tuesday the 6th day of July 1784, betwixt the hours of four and eight in the afternoon, before the Lord Ordinary on the bench.

The Lands and Estate of KILGRASTOWN, which pertained to the deceased John Craigie of Kilgrastown, lying in the parishes of Dumbarnie, Droon, and Abernethy, and shire of Perth. This estate consists of 1754 acres, 1 rood, and 32 falls, all conveniently and pleasantly situated within a few miles of the town of Perth, and the late proprietor beautified the place with extensive plantations, and policies. There is a commodious Dwelling House upon the estate, which is within three miles of the town of Perth, and about a quarter of a mile west from the bridge of Earn; and there are a complete set of offices lately built thereon.

The yearly proven rent of the estate, after deduction of the feu-duties, and School Masters' salaries, is **L. 1068 7 4 5-12ths**

Which, valued at 26 years purchase, amounts to **27777 11 6 10-12ths**

And, deducting a fifth of the gross rent for teinds, being **L. 213 18 15 5-12ths**

From which the stipends payable to the Ministers of Droon and Dumbarnie fall to be deducted, amounting to **35 4 1**

Makes the free teind **L. 217 14 4 6-12ths**

Which, valued at five years purchase, extends to **1088 11 10 6-12ths**

So that the upset price of the estate will be **L. 28266 3 5 4-12ths**

This estate comprehends the following Lands, viz.

I. The Lands of KILGRASTOWN, whereon the mansion-house and offices, land, and Part of the Lands of KINTULLO, lying within the parish of Dumbarnie, and upon the well side of the turnpike road leading from Perth to Kinross; pleasantly situated along the south side of the water of Earn, immediately to the west of the bridge of Earn, and are all inclosed and subdivided. The tenants' houses are in good order; the soil is of a rich quality, and the grounds are in excellent good condition. This part of the estate consists of 374 acres, 3 roods, and 17 falls, part whereof, is agreeably laid out in woods and plantations; which are in a healthy and thriving condition.

II. That part of the Lands of Kintullo, Broomfles, Clayton, and others, with the salmon fishing upon the water of Earn, lying in the parish of Dumbarnie, and upon the east side of the turnpike road leading from Perth to Kinross.—The lands consist of 294 acres, 3 roods, 34 falls, and lie pleasantly along the south side of the water of Earn, immediately to the east of the bridge of Earn, and are all inclosed and subdivided. The tenants' houses are all in good condition, and the soil is of a rich quality. They hold of the Crown, and entitle the proprietor to vote in the election for the county of Perth. Part of these lands is also beautifully laid out in woods and plantations, which are in a very thriving condition.

III. The Lands of Kirkpottie, Meikle Fiddies, and Clachriggstone, lying contiguous within the parish of Droon, and consisting of 676 acres, 1 rood, and 36 falls; 264 acres, 3 roods, and 9 falls whereof, have been planted in the view of building a Mansion-house upon this part of the estate. These plantations are in high order. The lands hold of the Crown, and are valued in the Cess-books of the county at 260 l. Scots.

IV. The Lands of Hallowtown, with the fishing of Cordon, upon the water of Earn, lying within the parish of Abernethy, and in the neighbourhood of the lands of Kirkpottie, &c. above mentioned. This farm consists of 61 acres, 2 roods, and 21 falls.

These two parcels of the estate last mentioned, are situated within 4 miles of the town of Perth, and two miles of the bridge of Earn.

The articles of roup will be seen at the office of Mr John Callender, Deputy-Clerk of Session; and the progress of writs, rentals, and plans of the estate, will be shown by William Lumsdaine, clerk to the Signet. John Rutherford, jun. writer in Perth, the present factor, will also show rentals of the estate; and William Chalmers at Kilgrastown, will show the grounds.